PTO/SB/08a (08-03)
Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

	Substitute for form 1449A/PTO		respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number. Complete if Known			
		Application Number				
	INFORMATION DISCLOSURE	Filing Date	***			
	STATEMENT BY APPLICANT	First Named Inventor	Patrick Richard Brady			
	OTATEMENT BY ALL COART	Art Unit				
	(Use as many sheets as necessary)	Examiner Name				
She	et 1 of 1	Attorney Docket Number	02-0029			

Examiner	Cite	Document Number	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where
Initials*	No.1	Number-Kind Code ^{2 (# known)}	MM-DD-YYYY	Applicant of Cited Document	Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
		^{US-} 4,738,206	4-19-1988	John W. Noland	
		^{US-} 4,864,942	9-12-1989	Edward G. Fochtman, et al	
		^{US-} 4,977,839	12-18-1990	Edward G. Fochtman, et al	
		^{US-} 5,067,852	11-26-1991	James B. Plunkett	
		^{US-} 5,213,445	5-25-1993	Maynard D. Ikenberry, et al	
		^{US-} 5,228,804	7-20-1993	Thomas H. Balch	
		^{US-} 5,836,718	11-17-1998	Philip A. Price	
		^{US-} 6,000,882	12-14-1999	John Carl Bova, et al	
		^{US-} RE.36,222	7-7-1992	Jeffrey K. O'Ham	
		^{US-} 6,296,815	10-2-2001	Stanley Lane Walker, et al	,
		^{US-} 5,098,481	3-24-1992	Monlux	
		^{US-} 5,302,118	4-12-1994	Renegar et al.	
		^{US-} 5,361,514	11-8-1994	Lahoda et al.	
		US-			

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS						
Examiner Initials*	Cite No.1	Foreign Patent Document Country Code ³ Number ⁴ Kind Code ⁶ (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	Τ ⁶
************			***************************************			

····			·····	***********************	*************************************	
			····	*************************************	***************************************	L
			İ			

Examiner		Date	
Signature		Considered	
	•		

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. 1 Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). 2 See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. 3 Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 4 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 5 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 6 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. 8END TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.